Share in increase of employment between 1999-2000 and 2004-05 of agriculture, industry and services was of the order of 30.57 million, 14.35 million and 17.14 million, and therefore, grew at the rate of 2.6 %, 4.1% and 3.8%, respectively.

Status of SGSY

†*324. SHRI ALI ANWAR: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the status of Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) in the country, State-wise;

(b) the number of self-help groups of various grades like first, second and third, State-wise, alongwith the status of collective and individual skill and entrepreneurship;

(c) the stauts of federations, State-wise; alongwith the works carried out by them;

(d) the State-wise details of the amount spent on development of skill and infrastructure, alongwith the State-wise proportion of SCs/STs and OBCs among the beneficiaries;

(e) the details of the participation of Dalits and Muslim community in this scheme; and

(f) the State-wise number of NABARD, NGO and District Rural Development Agency (DRDA)/District Rural Development Cell (DRDC) operated and funded self-help groups?

THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI RAGHUVANSH PRASAD SINGH): (a) Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) is conceived as a holistic programme of micro enterprises covering all aspects of self employment *viz.* organisation of the rural poor into self help groups (SHGs), their capacity building, planning of activity clusters, infrastructure build up,technology, credit, and marketing. Micro enterprises in the rural areas are sought to be established by building on the potential of the rural poor. The objective of the programme is to bring the Below Poverty Line (BPL) households above the poverty line by providing them sustainable

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

economic opportunities. The SGSY programme is a credit linked programme with credit being a major component, and subsidy, only as enabling component. Since the inception of the programme in April, 1999, and upto Feburary, 2007, an investment of Rs. 17.171 crore has been made under the SGSY (that includes a credit of Rs. 11,449 crore and subsidy of Rs. 5722 crore). The SGSY is being implemented in all the Districts of the country through the District Rural Development Agencies (DRDAs). The sharing of funds between the centre and states is on a 75:25 basis. The physical and financial progress, State-wise, since inception of the Scheme (upto Februray, 2007) is given in Statement-I (*See* below).

(b) The number of Self-Help Groups (SHGs) who have passed Grade-I, Grade-II and status of collective and individual skill and entrepreneurship, State-wise, since inception of the Scheme (upto February, 2007) is at Statement-II (*See* below). Columns 8 and 9, of Annexure-II, specifically give data pertaining to the number of Swarojgaris that received skill formation training.

(c) The process of federating the SHGs in the country is still at a nascent stage. From the available information, progress with respect to federating the SHGs has been noted in about six States *viz.* Andhra Pradesh, West Bengal, Madhya Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Kerala and Maharashtra. The levels of federation however vary from state to state. In no state have the federations reached upto the state level. The activities of the federations range from social mobilization, articulation of common concerns, organizing awareness compaigns, undertaking procurement operations, provision of forward and backward linkages to marketing activities, etc. The issue of federating the SHGs has been taken up by this Ministry time to time with the State Governments at various levels through letters as well as during conferences. It is hoped that the momentum will pick up over the year. The State-wise status of formation of federationof SHGs is given in Statement-III (*See* below).

(d) and (e) The State-wise details of amounts spent on development of skill and infrastructure along with State-wise proportion of SCs/STs under the SGSY programme, since inception of the Scheme (upto February, 2007) is at Statement-IV (*See* below). The Ministry of Rural Development does not monitor the proportion of OBCs among the beneficiaries. Likewise, the Ministry of Rural Development does not collect information of the

beneficiaries on religious lines. However, since 2006-07, the Ministry is obtaining information on the minority community beneficiaries. As per the decision of the Ministry of Minority Affairs, 15% of the resources are earmarked at the national level for minorities. The total number of such minority community beneficiaries is 13046, during the year 2006-07 (upto February, 2007). Minority communities are those notified under Section (2) of the National Commission for Minorities Act, 1992 i.e. Muslims, Sikhs, Christians, Budhists and Parsis. In States, where the minority population is in majority, only other minorities will be treated as Minorities. Accordingly, Muslims in J & K, Sikhs in Punjab, and Christians in Meghalaya, Nagaland and Mizoram will not be treated as Minorities in those respective States.

(f) A statement indicating state-wise number of SHGs operated and funded by the Ministry of Rural Development and the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD), is at Statement-V (*See* below). The Ministry of Rural Development does not have a system to collect information about the SHGs formed by the NGOs beyond the SGSY programme.

Statement-I

State-wise utilisation of funds and assistance provided to the Swarozgaris under the programme since inception upto February 2007 (As per latest monthly progress reports received from the States/UTs)

(Rs. in lacs)

Sl. No.	States/UTs	Total Available Funds*	Utilisation	Percentage Utilisation	Total No. of Swarozgaris Assisted
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Andhra Pradesh	59334.59	55148.81	92.95	921794
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	3211.88	1554.93	48.41	12781
3.	Assam	62022.73	43833.46	70.67	380767
4.	Bihar	164503.67	93520.23	56.85	952047
5.	Chattisgarh	28676.00	26686.87	93.06	188006

1	2	3	4	5	6
6.	Goa	720.09	301.09	41.81	4166
7.	Gujarat	23972.91	20125.91	83.95	188879
8.	Haryana	14573.33	13360.48	91.68	120561
9.	Himachal Pradesh	6381.59	5304.60	83.12	65666
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	7403.32	5298.21	71.57	67384
11.	Jharkhand	42712.40	34407.33	80.56	439506
12.	Karnataka	49594.64	38312.73	77.25	307644
13.	Kerala	22139.02	19037.01	85.99	193139
14.	Madhya Pradesh	76292.37	64212.08	84.17	491580
15.	Maharashtra	95945.88	78881.60	82.21	562850
16.	Manipur	762.82	128.86	16.89	2324
17.	Meghalaya	3001.32	1579.05	52.61	21059
18.	Mizoram	1178.90	923.86	78.37	15867
19.	Nagaland	2170.45	1730.56	79.73	24803
20.	Orissa	65011.97	57098.68	87.83	506262
21.	Punjab	7249.42	6091.39	84.03	50843
22.	Rajasthan	43505.25	31779.10	73.05	261688
23.	Sikkim	1633.78	1417.72	86.78	12244
24.	Tamil Nadu	60740.58	55245.59	90.95	481657
25.	Tripura	9341.18	8322.26	89.09	74168
26.	Uttar Pradesh	232278.37	154213.75	66.39	1287890
27.	Uttaranchal	12617.12	9828.85	77.90	75366
28.	West Bengal	85310.86	42428.00	49.73	245705
29	A & N Islands	433.43	133.17	30.72	4266
30.	Daman & Diu	529.73	7.17	1.35	104
31.	D & N Haveli	79.68	20.35	25.54	256
32.	Lakshadweep	371.60	10.69	2.88	91
33.	Pondicherry	885.10	573.27	64.77	5954
	TOTAL:	1184585.96	871517.67	73.57	7967320

*Includes Opening Balance, Central Releases, State Releases and Miscellaneous Receipts.

Statement-II

State-wise Physical Progress under the SGSY Since Inception upto 2006-07 (upto Feb '07)

(in numbers)

Sl. No.	States/U.Ts.	SHGs Passed Grade I	SHGs Passed Grade II	SHGs that have taken up Economic Activities	SHGs Swarozgaris Assisted	Individual Swarozgaris Assisted	SHGs Swarozgaris Trained	Individual Swarozgaris Trained
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1.	Andhra Pradesh	452383	328787	99051	771937	149857	492194	124057
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	170	85	216	3001	9780	2088	3251
3.	Assam	81973	36485	24688	358744	22023	683215	8177
4.	Bihar	48367	22406	25330	273926	678121	247171	122933
5.	Chattisgarh	22353	7627	6302	67055	120951	181551	54354
6.	Goa	397	210	254	1921	2245	3917	0
7.	Gujarat	26870	8067	5624	42066	146813	190118	33865
8.	Haryana	8275	5399	4963	52411	68150	75362	9001
9.	Himachal Pradesh	5090	4355	4329	40974	24692	48866	15506
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	3976	1180	3103	29194	38190	16485	24289
11.	Jharkhand	22006	8348	12901	187561	251945	103786	56393
12.	Karnataka	24970	19724	19906	251013	56631	277150	19960
13.	Kerala	44157	16237	8365	95745	97394	105201	18227
14.	Madhya Pradesh	92961	34749	30307	289526	202054	526575	47801

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
15.	Maharashtra	93037	45048	28859	303789	259061	497315	61725
16.	Manipur	139	36	17	2166	158	6358	0
17.	Meghalaya	3141	1042	880	18276	2783	22885	1679
18.	Mizoram	687	793	1363	14947	920	10840	708
19.	Nagaland	1609	1561	2583	17638	7165	12684	3638
20.	Orissa	86064	33945	22927	264120	242142	218851	41046
21.	Punjab	2710	1615	1842	19700	31143	10449	9304
22.	Rajasthan	17143	6096	4441	46654	215034	61495	87224
23.	Sikkim	811	293	320	3411	8833	2383	4861
24.	Tamil Nadu	174471	43303	28886	442549	39108	368767	11576
25.	Tripura	7936	2653	6376	25423	48745	157359	22012
26.	Uttar Pradesh	176052	78788	73415	834971	452919	1279105	93221
27.	Uttaranchal	13522	5216	6482	59176	16190	72132	1440
28.	West Bengal	130370	26645	9462	100120	145585	1123036	26474
29.	A & N Islands	230	72	153	4110	156	262	0
30.	Daman & Diu	0	0	0	45	68	0	0
31.	D & N Haveli	0	0	0	0	250	0	0
32.	Lakshadweep	2	0	1	6	85	40	0
33.	Pondicherry	1134	586	405	5357	597	1526	0
	TOTAL:	1543006	744351	433751	4627532	3339788	6799166	902722

Statement-III

The State-wise Status of Formation of Federations of Self-help Groups

Name of the State	Number of Federations				Observations/comments
	G.P. Level	Mandal Level	Block Level	Distt. Level	State Level
1. West Bengal	187		15		West Bengal is doing it as a Special Project. An amount of Rs. 13.97 crore has been sanctioned by the Ministry of Rural Development for undertaking the exercise. 49,774 women are involved.
2. Andhra Pradesh	30,129 (village level)	910		21	80.22 lakh women members.
3. Maharashtra	120				In Pune division, the SHGs have taken up the task of federating themselves.
4. Madhya Pradesh		4			The process of federating the SHGs is on. Only 4 federations of the SGSY SHGs exist. They too are activity specific (engaged in lac production).
5. Tamil Nadu	12,263				Panchayat level federations are being funded by the State Government. A corpus of Rs. 10,000/- is being given to each of the federations at the village level.
6. Kerala	15439 Area Development Societies (ADSs) at ward level and 999 Community Development Societies (CDSs) at village level.				

Statement-IV

State-wise Physical and Financial Progress under the SGSY since inception upto 2006-07 (upto Feb '07)

Sl. No.	States/U.T.	Expenditure on (Rs. in lacs)		Proportion of SC/STs assisted under the Programme in %
		Infrastructure Development	Skill Development	
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	6025.99	4528.89	46.37
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	412.10	54.89	100.00
3.	Assam	11308.72	2940.68	38.14
4.	Bihar	15646.25	5259.18	35.38
5.	Chhattisgarh	3622.96	1351.39	60.56
6.	Goa	53.58	10.52	18.84
7.	Gujarat	3490.47	955.91	49.25
8.	Haryana	1527.60	386.88	47.09
9.	Himachal Pradesh	463.74	122.83	51.22
10.	Jammu & Kashmir	543.87	219.26	14.68
11.	Jharkhand	5382.61	793.62	59.76
12.	Karnataka	7844.95	1979.66	40.45
13.	Kerala	1643.79	660.80	37.22
14.	Madhya Pradesh	10126.65	3137.05	51.17
15.	Maharashtra	14653.50	3667.01	44.82
16.	Manipur	9.57	4.19	13.34
17.	Meghalaya	341.91	125.65	96.59
18.	Mizoram	207.75	67.61	96.31
19.	Nagaland	346.89	150.04	100.00
20.	Orissa	9780.51	1566.53	50.91
21.	Punjab	363.00	95.62	62.17
22.	Rajasthan	6781.38	859.43	48.83
23.	Sikkim	286.59	140.10	49.53

1	2	3	4	5
24.	Tamil Nadu	9347.72	4110.68	45.84
25.	Tripura	1063.31	270.90	55.88
26.	U.P.	21779.40	7655.45	49.35
27.	Uttaranchal	1009.01	307.96	32.61
28.	West Bengal	7965.83	4777.11	34.02
29.	A & N Island	20.69	15.58	11.70
30.	Daman & Diu	0.00	0.00	90.27
31.	D&N Haveli	0.00	0.00	100.00
32.	Lakshadweep	1.00	0.00	100.00
33.	Pondichery	17.49	0.00	57.24
	TOTAL:	142068.82	46224.88	46.28

Statement-V

State-wise of DRDAs, Total SHGs Formed, Total SHGs Swarozgaris Assisted and SHGs provided with bank loan by NABARD

States	No. of DRDAs	Total SHGs Formed	Total SHGs Swarozgaris Assisted	Cumulative No. of SHGs provided with bank loans by NABARD as on 31.3.06
1	2	3	4	5
Andhra Pradesh	22	478891	771937	587238
Arunachal Pradesh	13	450	3001	346
Assam	23	132707	358744	56449
Bihar	37	110846	273926	46221
Chhattisgarh	16	52147	67055	31291
Goa	2	725	1921	624
Gujarat	25	92250	42066	34160

1	2	3	4	5
Haryana	20	12159	52411	4867
Himachal Pradesh	12	5815	40974	22920
Jammu & Kashmir	14	7420	29194	2354
Jharkhand	22	36953	187561	30819
Karnataka	27	43988	251013	224928
Kerala	14	62397	95745	86988
Madhya Pradesh	48	260272	289536	57125
Maharashtra	33	142463	303789	131470
Manipur	9	705	2166	1468
Meghalaya	7	5694	18276	735
Mizoram	8	1417	14947	974
Nagaland	11	2868	17638	422
Orissa	30	161297	264120	180896
Punjab	17	4535	19700	4561
Rajasthan	32	30175	46654	98171
Sikkim	1	1415	3411	127
Tamil Nadu	29	273385	442549	312778
Tripura	4	18873	25423	1996
U.P.	70	343467	834971	161911
Uttaranchal	13	19432	59176	17588
West Bengal	19	181775	100120	136251
A & N Island	2	374	4110	164
Daman & Diu	1	0	45	Not Reported
D&N Haveli	1	16	0	Not Reported
Lakshadweep	1	8	6	Not Reported
Pondichery	1	1382	5357	2499
TOTAL:	584	2486301	4627532	2238341